Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the instant application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS

1-18.   (Cancelled)

19.   (Currently Amended) A method for vehicle navigation comprising the steps of:

accessing a publicly accessible Web site using a computing device that is remote from a vehicle;

identifying within said Web site at least one destination in response to a user input specifying a trip itinerary, the at least one destination corresponding to at least one of a lodging, dining establishment, and predetermined sightseeing attraction each identified within said Web site in response to and based upon the specified trip itinerary;

automatically determining navigation information for said itinerary, wherein at least a portion of said navigation information includes geographic coordinates for said identified destination as well as trip information indicating locations of and information pertaining to other dining establishments, other sightseeing attractions, other lodging accommodations, road hazards, and detours corresponding to the user-specified trip itinerary;

uploading said navigation information to a network via a communications link and storing said navigation information in a memory in the network and requesting said navigation information be transferred to a self-contained, in-vehicle navigation device, wherein said memory is remote from said vehicle;

adding said request to a queue;

connecting said an in-vehicle navigation device to [[a]] the network via an upload link and a download link accessible by said queue;

identifying the in-vehicle navigation device by the network via the upload link;

upon identification of the in-vehicle navigation device, ~~automatically~~ transferring said navigation information stored in the memory in the network to said in-vehicle navigation device via the download link ~~in~~;

determining whether a data format of said navigation information conforms to data requirements of said in-vehicle navigation device prior to transferring said navigation information; and

converting said data format of said navigation information to an alternate data format prior to transferring said navigation information if said data format does not conform to data requirements of said in-vehicle navigation device.

20-25. (Cancelled)

26.   (Currently Amended)   A machine-readable storage having stored thereon, a computer program having a plurality of code sections, said code sections executable by a machine for causing the machine to perform the steps of:

accessing a publicly accessible Web site using a computing device that is remote from a vehicle;

identifying within said Web site at least one destination in response to a user input specifying a trip itinerary, the at least one destination corresponding to at least one of a lodging, dining establishment, and predetermined sightseeing attraction, each identified within said Web site in response to and based upon the specified trip itinerary;

automatically determining navigation information for said itinerary, wherein at least a portion of said navigation information includes geographic coordinates for said identified destination as well as trip information indicating locations of and information pertaining to other dining establishments, other sightseeing attractions, other lodging

accommodations, road hazards, and detours corresponding to the user-specified trip itinerary;

uploading said navigation information to a network via a communications link and storing said navigation information in a memory in the network and requesting said navigation information be transferred to a self-contained, in-vehicle navigation device, wherein said memory is remote from said vehicle;

adding said request to a queue;

connecting said an in-vehicle navigation device to [[a]] the network via an upload link and a download link accessible by said queue;

identifying the in-vehicle navigation device by the network via the upload link;

upon identification of the in-vehicle navigation device, automatically transferring said navigation information stored in the memory in the network to said in-vehicle navigation device via the download link in;

determining whether a data format of said navigation information conforms to data requirements of said in-vehicle navigation device prior to transferring said navigation information; and

converting said data format of said navigation information to an alternate data format prior to transferring said navigation information if said data format does not conform to data requirements of said in-vehicle navigation device.